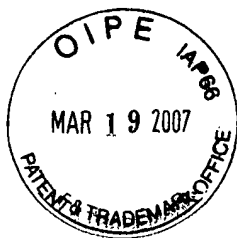


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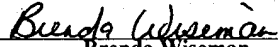
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Dear Sir:

The present remarks are in response to the Office Action of December 14, 2006 where the Examiner rejected all of the pending claims. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the accompanying responsive remarks.